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Mesilla Valley Radio Club		

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M—F	6 m FM net 52.540	6:00 AM	
T, T	Informal Wal-Mart (E)	10:00 AM	
M, W, F	Informal Wal-Mart (W)	10:00 AM	
Mon	WTRA Swap Net 146.88	8 PM	
Wed	MVRC Net 146.64	6:45 PM	
Not in Dec	Breakfast Club House	8 AM	
Not in Dec	Business Meeting Club House	9 AM	
Dec 13	Builders Group Club House	7 PM	
Not in Dec	Board Meet Club House	7 PM	
Dec 27 check	Builders Group Club House	7 PM	
Dec 3	Cookout Young Park	10 AM—2 PM	
For more events see http://www.n5bl.org/calendar			



Southwest Antennas & Accessories

More information at <http://swantenna.com>



KE5OFK Presenting D-Star Information

The Articles for This Month

November Program

K5XY

D-Star

KE5OFK, shown above, gave the club an update on the D-Star system during the November meeting. He mentioned the various D-Star compatible equipments available, including mobile rigs, Hts, and even a dongle, which can be attached to a computer, ranging in price from 200 to 500 dollars. Our repeater is operational on 146.84 and has connections to Albuquerque and El Paso (as well as most of the rest of the world). We have the required number of registered users so that ICOM will actually pay for our repeater. He mentioned that the following list of URLs will provide more information about the D-Star system than most people will use.

- Dstar.info.com
- Dstarinfo.com
- Dstarusers.org
- www.dvdongle.com/DV_Dongle/Installation.html/

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Picnic

K5XY

The Christmas event this year will be a picnic in Young Park on December 3 from 10 AM to 2 PM. The club will provide hamburgers and hot dogs. Those attending are asked to bring a side dish. It is hoped that there will be one or more operating stations there. Certainly 10 meters ought to be open with a contest. The weekend is forecast to be cold, so some members have volunteered to bring portable space heaters. If the weather is too bad the event will be moved to the club house. Listen on 146.64 for the latest information.

Unclassified Ads

For Sale: TS-50S HF Transceiver 100W 160 through 10M @ 100 Watts. This radio is used but in Excellent condition. The radio has a microphone, manual, power cord, and factory box. Price is \$450 obo.

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AT-50 Automatic antenna tuner 160M through 10M 100 watts with two PL-259 connectors for RF in and out. Price is \$270 obo.

AT-300 Remote Wire tuner for Kenwood TS-50 or TS-480SAT. Price is \$300

PS-52 Kenwood Power Supply 115VAC Input and 13.8VDC @ 20AMP Price \$100 obo.

TS-480SAT Transceiver 160M through 6Meters, 100 watt Like new with lots of accessories. Price is \$875

FOR SALE ... YAESU FT-1000MPV 160M THROUGH 6M TRANSCIEVER 200W ... Price \$950 obo.

Any Questions....Email me! dhassall@zianet.com
David R. Hassall WA5DJJ
WEBSITE: <http://www.zianet.com/dhassall/>

Monthly Business Meeting

Rob Truitt gave a presentation about d-STAR. What it is, and what we can do with it.

For more information go to: papasis.com
d-STARGateway.org
d_STARINFO.com
d-STARusers.org

The meeting was called to order at 10:50am

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The officers were elected.

Rob Truitt -president

Melanie Jack-vice-president/secretary

Kevin McNellis-treasurer

Lloyd Naylor will be the new repeater director

The rest of the board will be the same except that we are in need of a communications director.

Dave Hassall made the motion to accept and Vern seconded. The motion carried.

The Christmas meeting will be a picnic at Young Park from 10am to 2 pm December 3, 2011.

The club will furnish hamburgers, hot dogs and cold drinks. Please bring a side dish to share.

If you can bring a grill to help with the cooking call Rob at 575-649-4173 or e-mail him at RobHTruitt@zianet.com

George reminded us about the Horse ump on Nov.20.

The roof is scheduled to go on next week.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:12am

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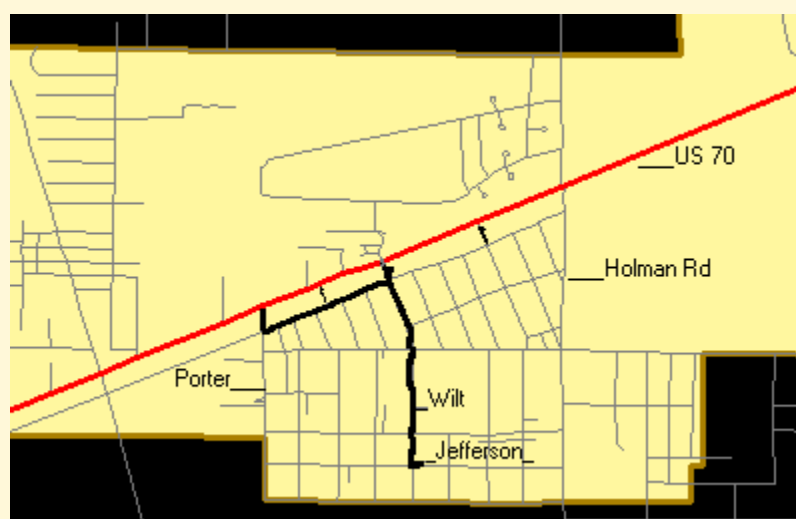
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Treasurer Report

Not available

CLUB INFORMATION

The MVRC Clubhouse is located at the intersection of Wilt and Jefferson. To find the clubhouse, set your destination on your GPS receiver as 32 degrees 22.961 minutes and -106 degrees 41.44 minutes. If you don't own a GPS, take the Porter exit on US 70. It is about 5 miles from the I 25 interchange, near the firehouse. Go south on Porter until you come to Jefferson. There turn left toward the mountains and go to Wilt. You will see the beam on the corner. The treasurer would be delighted to receive your contribution for landscaping and furnishing. More information at <http://n5bl.org>



Officers

Office	Name	Call	Phone	E-Mail
President	Robert Truitt	KE5OFK	649-4173	robhtruitt@zianet.com
Secretary	Melanie Jack	KD5UZF	202-3363	thedragon@melaniestonejack.com
Treasurer	Kevin McNelis	K5KMC	571-7326	kmcnelis@nmsu.edu
Board Members				
	Terry Angle	AE5XI	640-9669	kf5dns@gmail.com
	Bob Bennett	AD5LJ	382-0148	rpbennett1@comcast.net
	Alex. Burr	K5XY	522-2528	k5xy@arrl.net
	Cash Olsen	KD5SSJ	382-1917	kd5ssj@arrl.net
	Henry Schotzko	AD5FE	526-1922	schotzko@comcast.net
	Vern Vondeeder	WV5N	510-909-0069	vern@wv5n.com

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JOIN THE CLUB

To join the Mesilla Valley Radio Club, renew your membership, or to support the repeaters, please print, cut out, and complete the form below. Send it with dues (\$35 single, \$45 family per year, add \$10 to receive the newsletter by US mail instead of e-mail) to: Treasurer, MVRC, Box 1443, Las Cruces, NM 88004.

MESILLA VALLEY RADIO CLUB

CALL SIGN(S) _____ FAMILY yes _____ no _____

LICENSE CLASS (E, A, G, T, N) _____

ARRL (Y/N) _____

ARRL VE (Y/N) _____

Would you like to be added to the MVRC reflector? _____

NAME _____

EMAIL _____

STREET ADDRESS _____

CITY & ZIP _____ PHONE _____ (OPTIONAL)

INTERESTS – Computer _____ Contests _____ Digital _____ Elmer _____ Emergency Communications _____ Field Day _____

Packet _____ Programs _____ Public Service _____ Publicity _____ RFI _____ Repeater _____ Social _____ License Classes _____

Teach License Classes _____ Volunteer Examiner _____ Other _____

SINGLE \$35 FAMILY \$45

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